

"So roller skating, sounds like a date" by Ghost_girl77

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Summary:

This is a somewhat a slow burn between robin and a female oc it starts with Angela (name of black female oc) running into the movie rental store asking for back to the future. See how it all unfolds

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1. "Do you guys have back to the future?"

Author's Note:

I was yeahsowhatss on wattpad but since wattpad got hacked i moved my story over to here.

Robins pov:

Work today was getting really boring, not many people had come in today and this was just one of those days when business was really slow.

I didn't really mind though with everything that happened in summer i'm glad its just this today.

But then as heaven is a place on earth started to play for the 10th time today a girl came running in. Even Though the song was killing me all day the second I saw her walk into the store it was as if I had heard it for the first time.

Her brown skin glowed in the sunlight. She walked in wearing a black sweater with the front tucked into black jeans. Her hair was in braids in a half up half down kinda style.

As she gets close to the counter my throat started to tighten and my palms got sweaty.

she says "Hey my name is Angela and I'm running really late for my brothers birthday day party and I really need to know do you guys have back to the future?" "I think so" I say and ask Steve to go look for it in the back.

Steve emerged from the back room with one of the copies of back to the future and hands it to me were I tell her the price and then she pays puts the movie in her backpack.

She says "Thank you so so much you are a complete life saver" and then she asked me "sorry I never really got your name so can you please tell me" I answer with a simple "robin" she smiles back and says "Nice name, thank you again" sending me a small smile backing

away from the counter slowly sending me finger guns

She turns around and walk out the door and the second she was out door she ran to her bicycle and she hopped on her bicycle and rode away.

Steve than out of nowhere said "I saw the way you were looking at her, you really should have tried to ask for her number".

"what are you even talking about dufus?" He replied with "Dude seriously next time you see her you should really get to know her".

I think about it for a minute or so I then reply with "whatever you say moron, I barely know her and also I think I'm only probably the only person in Hawkins who likes girls the same way I do" Steve waves me off and says "yeah, yeah but if she comes back ask for her number...okay".

"If you don't I will" he says.

I give him a nod and then tell him to go back to work. After that the day goes back to like it was before and my mind somehow always finds some way to go back to Angela.

It would always just go back to how amazing her brown eyes were and how her voice was just so beautiful and sounded like honey and-"Hey um do guys have a bathroom?" A guy asked.

"Oh um no but the arcade next door does" "thank you". While i was working for the rest of my shift it was just like that. My mind would wander off thinking about angela and then either steve our a customer would pull me back.

When my shift was finally over and i was riding back home angela would just pop up in my head again. And just everything about her was just so pretty from her hair to her shoes.

She was just so.... I don't know word for it but whatever it was she was that.

When I finally got home i did everything I always did when I got home, watch tv. After the sun went down I ate dinner with my family

and went to sleep.

2. "See you tomorrow"

Robins pov:

It's been a couple of days since Angela came into the store and everything went back to normal seemed like there were more customers through. As i was helping a customer check out i noticed someone else walked in.

I didn't pay them much attention until they finally walked up to the counter. When i finally look up it's her, it's angela. She rolled in wearing a white and blue striped button down shirt, some black jean shorts, with chuck Taylor's, and her braids in two buns.

She pulled her backpack off her back and took out the back to the future VHS, put on the counter and said "Here you go, sorry if I seemed really frantic the last time I was in here it was just that my little brother really wanted to see the movie and I thought my mom had it already but she didn't and... I am rambling about all of this so I'll just stop now and just give it back to you now....sorry".

She Finished what she was saying turning her head down. I didn't think much of it just thought that she got really nervous because like she said she was rambling "oh it's okay".

"nice necklace you got there" i said. She smiled and said "thanks my mom gave it to me for a birthday gift a couple years ago". After that she smiled and said "I'm going to look for another movie now" she waved and went down the isles.

I was stuck thinking about how cute she looked and how amazing her voice sounds and- before I could think much more about her Steve showed up and said in a whisper tone "I'm taking your place now you are going to go and help her, and you are going to try to at least become her friend".

I then replied in the same whisper tone "hell no and what do you even expect me to say to her I'll just get way to embarrassed and mess it all it up" I sigh putting my head in my hands "she most likely doesn't even like girls"

Steve rubs my back and then says "Hey it's going to be okay just don't let it get awkward and if it does get awkward laugh it off and keep the conversation going" I slowly turn my head to look at him and I start to think about what he just said, and he isn't that wrong maybe I could get to know her better so I just say "fuck it why not".

Steve gives me a smile and big thumbs up as he pushes me out of the spot I'm at. I then walk to the back room and take a couple deep breaths and wipe my hands on my shirt so they are not so sweaty.

And then I take one last deep breath as I open the door and start acting like I'm working which I am but my many focus is just trying to find Angela. I do end up finding her in the action section.

The second I see her my palms become sweaty, I step back so she doesn't see me and wipe my hands up and down my pants. Again I take some more deep breaths and then I walk up to her and after a few moments of silence I ask her "you finding everything ok?"

she answers with "Not really... Do you have any recommendations" I reply with "ugh.... Yeah I do just follow me"

I send her a small smile before walking in front of her. When we were looking for movies we had started a conversation. It started with her asking me how my day was so far I replied with "pretty good but it was boring not having someone run in asking for back to the future...how about you?".

She chuckled (and just.... Wow it was just soft and beautiful and-I really need to pay attention to what she's going to say) and then replied with "it's been okay kinda boring but I kinda just moved here so I really don't know what to do here besides roller skating in my front yard and come here".

And that is how we have a really long conversation cracking jokes and learning things about each other.

I almost completely forgot about the fact that I was supposed to be looking for a movie rental for her the only reason I remembered was because Angela had looked up at the clock on her wall.

"oh shit.....I'm really sorry but my mom is going to be home in an hour I'm really really sorry but I really need to go.... Could you please hold onto the movies for me I'll come back tomorrow for them I promise" she said as frantically as the day she came here for the first time.

I reply with "hey it's okay just make sure you come back tomorrow I'll be right here". She starts to backup accidentally bumping into a card board cut out and saying sorry and I promise to see you tomorrow" then eventually she turns around and runs to her bike and then rides away.

And I'm stuck where I am for a little bit still holding the movies and then I here Steve yell my name from the cash register. I walk back over to him and then he asks me "soo... How was it?" I reply with "well it was really good we had a really nice talk and I learned the she just moved here a couple weeks ago, her favorite color is yellow and she really likes roller skating".

Steve then says "well she sounds real nice..... Do you think that she-" I cut him off by putting my hand over his mouth and then saying in a whisper tone " no I don't think she likes girls in that way, plus this is Hawkins in the 80s were talking about do you really think there that many gay people here Steve."

He looks at me for a second and then says " maybe you're right annnd maybe you are wrong but you could be her friend I mean you spit in a communist face I know you can at least make a new friend". I think for a second and then say " whatever you say Harrington" as I walk behind the counter and push him out of the cash register spot.

I take back my spot at the cash register and continue to my job, while Steve starts doing whatever he is doing in the back room. I look out to the front of the store and just not really think about anything like my mind was blank for a little bit. And I just wish I could stay in that moment for a little longer but then I herd Steve fall and started laughing.

3. "Hey jack"

Angela's pov:

The second I'm on my bike and riding back home I really wish I could have stayed for a little bit longer but I already know mom wants me to be home before she is. I feel like shit having to leave early... God I didn't even pick a movie and I made a fool of myself by bumping into that cut out.

After a few minutes of riding my bike I finally get back home and thank god my mom is not here yet. The second i'm in the driveway I put my bike back in the spot where it was before I left and pull my keys out. I run up the steps leading to the porch and try to jam the key into the keyhole accidentally dropping it but then on the third time I finally got it. I guess the third time's a charm.

I enter the house having the biggest sigh of relief as I close and lock the door. I walk into the kitchen to check the time on the clock. I made it with 20 minutes to spare, then Lila rubbed against my leg making me jump a little. I picked her up and walk to my room with her in my arms.

I start to think about Robin and just how amazing she is and she was always just so nice and her smile just fills me up with joy and she's is just all around amazing. I'm pulled out of my thoughts by cat meowing.

The second i'm in my room I put Lila on the ground, there are still boxes I need to open, I go and sit on my bed untying my shoes and taking off my backpack. I start to open the rest of my boxes and putting all my books and small stuffed animals on the shelves i put up a couple days ago. Finally I get to all my framed and Polaroid pictures I start to arrange them.

And before I can get to all my other photos I hear the front door open and my little brother running into the living room to watch some more tv and then my mom yells "hey angel were home and I need help pulling groceries out of the car" I yell back "okay I'm coming in a second".

I then lay my pictures on my desk and then walk out of my room and before I go help my mom outside I say "hey jack" and mess with my little brothers hair. He swats my hand away and yells "MOOOOM ANGELA'S PUNCHED ME" and that is when I actually did punch him in the shoulder and my mom yelled "ANGELICA STOP PUNCHING YOUR BROTHER AND HELP ME BEFORE YOU GET GROUNDED".

Jack sticks his tongue out at me, and I just have to take it so I can see Robin tomorrow. I walk outside to the car where I go to the trunk and start to pick up a couple of bags and walking into the kitchen then putting them on the floor and I continued this until me and mom have brought in all the groceries. After that she says "you can do whatever you want now but NO bullying your brother" she then yells loud enough for jack to hear over the tv "THAT GOES THE SAME FOR YOU JACKSON NO MESSING WITH YOUR SISTER".

After that I walk out of the kitchen, down the hall and into my room. When i'm in my room I close and lock the door behind me. I look around and see Lila on my bed curled up into a ball.

I go and lay next to her for a little bit but remember I still needed to finish putting up all my other stuff but then I just said fuck it i'll do it later. I then go back to laying with my cat I then somehow start to think about Robin and how I really wished I had asked for her number so I could talk to her more.

After a while of kinda nothing going on my mom yells from the kitchen "HEY DINNERS READY YOU TWO" that's when I finally get up from my bed in a while. When I open my door jack is already running into the dining area while I walk over with Lila following me.

When I finally get to the table I sit in one of the chairs and then immediately Lila jumps onto my lap. I try to take her off me multiple times but every time she would jump back up so eventually I just got up and put some cat food in her bowl and thankfully she ate it and stopped jumping up onto my lap.

After that little fiasco mom brings out the food and it's my favorite thing ever to be invited it's the amazing, absolutely awesome, fantastic sloppy joes with fucking fish sticks too. It was so damn

amazing until the little shit over here starts to talk with his mouth full.

I tell him "Close your mouth" that's when he starts to do it more annoyingly, I look at mom and say "Please make jack stop doing that". My mom then says "JACKSON if you don't stop that you can't watch tv for three weeks" he stops automatically and starts to actually eat his food.

After dinner and washing my dishes I tell my mom and jack good night with jack sticking his tongue out at me and me saying "whatever foot fungus" before heading to my room with Lila following me.

The second i'm in my room and lock the door I flop onto my bed eventually I find the energy to move the rest of my body into a comfortable position for me to eventually fall a sleep in.

4. "Just like you said"

Angela's pov:

I woke up to my mom knocking on my door and saying "Angela breakfast is ready wake up" I slowly start to wake up but it's slow and groggy. I finally find the energy to get up from my bed. I walk out of my room and into the bathroom to brush my hair and teeth. Once i'm done I walk out of the bathroom and into the kitchen were I find my mom taking waffles out of the toaster and putting them on a plate for me.

When i finally reach her she hands me the plate and a fork saying "here you go" "Thanks mom". I go and sit at the table sitting in a criss cross position and grab the syrup. After breakfast is done I head back to my room grabbing a new book my mom bought for me before we moved. I never really got the time to read it.

After a couple minutes of reading, mom knocks on my door walking in and saying "hey Angela i'm leaving soon and taking your brother with me again" "okay see you later mom". And right before my mom leaves she says "Remember the keys are on the counter with 25 bucks and the most important thing is be a-" "be at the house before I am, I will I promise".

She kisses me on the head and walked out to the hallway and yelled "JACKSON IF YOU ARE NOT OUT HERE IN THE NEXT TEN SECONDS I WILL-". Jack ran out of his room saying "he..here I am" in between pants. He ran out to the car but not before sticking his tongue out at me.

Right after my mom leaves with my brother I rush into my room grabbing my backpack from under my bed. I head over to my closet and grab a brown sweater and some acid washed pants. I take a quick shower and after, I put on my clothes and just leaving my hair in an afro.

After i head back to my room and put on my socks and shoes. After that I grab my backpack and go to my dresser to look for some gum. To my surprise i find an old photo of me and my dad. It was from my

10th birthday and we had went to a water park. I end up looking at it for a few seconds before I toss it back in the drawer.

After I head to the kitchen and grab the cat food from one of the cupboards and refill Lila's bowl . I walk back into the kitchen and look at the clock it reads 11:54. My mom will be home at around 9, I then grab a pen and write "8:05" on my wrist. And right before I leave I grab a jacket just in case.

I grab the money and keys on the counter and rush outside locking the door and getting on my bike. I pedal all the way back to Robin.....wait I meant to say the video rental store not robin.

When I finally get there I take a couple of minutes to lock up my bike and take a couple of deep breaths and to also wipe the sweat of my hands that seem to come out of nowhere it really made no sense. But then I remember I actually am in public so I can't really just stand here and do basically nothing anymore.

When I finally am inside I can feel a smile form on my face from just seeing Robin. I really don't know why that really hasn't happened with anyone but who really cares. I then take one more deep breath before finally walking up to her.

When I finally get up to her I somehow manage to say "Hey Robin" "oh hey Angela.... How are you?" I answer with "ugh pretty good nothing much has happened but I'm really glad to be here with you". After a second of thinking about what I just said I immediately start to back track "oh ug ugh i-i- I didn't mean it like that n-n-not saying I'm not glad I'm here with you because I am it's just that I... Ugh".

I then put my head in my hands trying really hard not to be awkward but then I feel Robin rubbing my shoulder saying "hey it's okay I'm glad to be here with you too.... I mean I was going to be here anyways just glad you came back just like you said"

When I finally pick my head up from my hands I felt a lot of comfort from the way Robin is doing that really nice half-smile, smile. She then eventually moves her hand from my shoulder to my four arm rubbing her thumb up and down a couple times and then eventually taking it away.

I never really noticed how cold my upper arm felt until she moved her hand from it. After a couple of seconds of silence Robin says "hey you remember those movies you were going to rent yesterday but didn't because you had to leave ...well I kinda already paid for them when I came in for my shift"

I then say "Robin you really didn't have to I was going to pay for them-" and before I can continue what I'm saying she hands over the movies in a plastic bag. She then says "don't worry about it" with a smile and just..... OH MY GOD I have never thought you could see sunshine in someone's mouth it's just her smile was just so damn contagious.

I didn't even know I was smiling until Robin said "nice smile" "oh um thank youyou too". I then put the bag in my backpack and out of nowhere start to feel my cheeks become a little hot I think it was from all the embarrassment but I try to play it off like it's not happening. Robin then says " hey um I get off in a little bit if you want to hang out some more I have nothing to do".

I think about it for a little bit and look for a clock it is 12:57 I then look back robin and say "yeah me too I have nothing to do and that sounds really nice just meet me outside when you are ready". I then shot her finger guns before walking out of the store.

5. "Yeah...me to"

Angela's pov:

After a couple of minutes and one eaten fruit cup later Robin steps out with a denim jacket and white fur lining the inside of it. She also had a bicycle helmet hanging from her hand. That is when I realized that the bike near mine was hers.

She then walks next to me and ask "you ready" "yeah" "let's go then". Before we actually do get to our bikes I ask her "hey.... we're do you actually want to go?". She thinks for a second and then says "you want to go to the arcade?" I look over to the arcade and say "yeah sounds like fun..lets go".

We walk into the arcade and I head to the money exchange thing and I put in a couple bucks. When the machine is done I put all the coins in my pockets I head back to where Robin is and walk over. I ask her "um... so what game do you want to play first?", she looks around for a little bit and then points to the pac man game and says "that one....lets go".

She runs to the pac man game holding my hand behind her. When we get there she lets go of my hand and I reach into my pocket and grab some coins. We play as many games as we could for an hour or so she ends up beating me at most of them but it was really fun.

When we're done playing and finally get a prize robin tells me "how about the teddy bear?" She points the small brown bear. "Oh yeah i like that".

When we get outside I ask her where we should go next she thinks for a minute and then says

" there is this really old place I use to go to as a kid.. I mean I will go there sometimes but..... I can actually better explain it if you follow me there".

I think for a second and then say "ummsounds like you're gonna kill me but i'mma trust you". After a while of riding our bikes we

finally get to where robin was talking about. It was this really old run down park I don't think anyone has been here in a while. We then get off our bikes and put them next to the swing sets.

Robin then turns around and ask me "So what do you want to do?" I have to think about for a little bit I mean I have never been here before so I really don't know but then I finally say "um I really don't know..... how about you just show me around and we go from there"

She then looks at me for a second and again I start to feel that hot sensation in my checks. I look away trying to stop it but then Robin signals for me to follow her. After what felt like five minutes but turns out to be over an hour me and Robin end up sitting on the swings.

We end up having this really weird but nice conversation. I ask her "hey do you want to go to my house and watch those movies?.....but like on-only if you want to-" she then cuts me off by putting her hand my shoulder and saying "yeah I would really like that".

We walk back to our bikes and while we are walking my hand accidentally rubbed against hers and it gets pretty awkward until we get to our bikes. And before we ride to my house robin says "I've had a lot of fun with you today". I look at her and say "yeah....me to".

When we get to my house I have to take a deep breath before fully opening my door but when I do I feel little more comfortable. When we are both inside I lock the door and put the keys back onto the counter. I then look at the clock and it reads "4:12". I say "hey robin my mom is going to be here in a couple of hours so we could watch a movie and probably do anything until around 9"

She then says "Yeah that sounds like fun.....do you have any popcorn?" I have to think about it but then I do remember that I did see some popcorn in one of the bags yesterday. "Yeah we do I'll go make some and you can start up the movie"

I then hand her my backpack and then walk to the kitchen and go into the pantry and just like I thought there is popcorn. I then take out a packet and then put it in the microwave. When I hear the pops start to be more distant from each other I then take it out of the

microwave.

But when I go to take it out I for some reason forgot how hot the bag can be end up burning my fingers. Robin runs to where I am asking "hey are you okay ?" I look up at her and shake my head saying "no I kinda burned some of my fingers trying to pick up the damn popcorn bag"

She grabs the rag from sink and put some cold water on it and gently grabs my hand. She then warps my fingers in the rag gently. And just how gentle she was being it just made me feel so much happiness? Comfort?

I don't know but i just felt some form of being safe with her. She puts some light pressure on it and it feels like there is some form of tension because there is like a couple inches between are faces. We look at each other for a couple seconds and before it can get awkward I turn my head back to the popcorn.

She then says "how about you go sit on the couch I already got the movie ready and I will bring the popcorn" " yeah that sounds good i'll be over there". I then walk to the couch still with the rag wrapped around my fingers. After a couple of seconds she walks to the couch with a bowl of popcorn and right before she sits down my cat jumps into my lap.

Robin then sits down saying "nice cat.....what's there name?" " Lila" ireply. "nice name" "yeah my mom named her after my brother and me were fighting over what the name should be". She then says after a couple seconds of silence "how's your hand?" "Oh it's better now I don't think I need the rag anymore"i say looking at it. "I can take it back for you" robin offers "oh no it's fine really ill do it later" "ok".

After we watch the first movie I get up and take the rag back to the kitchen sink. And right as I turn around I accidentally bump into the Robin but something happens with e my feet and I end falling but then Robin catches me.

She asks me "hey you okay?" And before I answer I feel my face go hot "Oh um yeah well now at least".

I try to back track what I just said "oh um i meant as in like I a-am better now not fall-falling an-" "hey Angela it's okay I get what you mean". I then kinda look into her eyes and just..... Holy fucking shit just like..... wow her eyes just like... Wow. She then looks away saying "I um... If you want some more popcorn I can make us some more since we kinda ate it all".

I think for a second and then say "hey um..... I don't think I want to watch the other movie well not now at least..... um maybe we could um.... I really don't know....sorry" "hey it's okay if you don't want to watch the other movie we don't have I mean you said your mom was going to be home at around 9 right ?"

"Yeah I did" "well since it's only a little bit over 5 we got a few hours". I have to think about it for a little bit but then I say "ugh... I had to think about it for a little bit but my mom has some records in her room and i have a record player in my room so maybe we could have a small dance party but only if you want to?"

She then replies with " yeah that sounds like fun but first can you please tell me where the bathroom is" "yeah just follow me". I then lead her to the bathroom I then go to my moms room to find some records

6. "God why does she have to be so cute"

Robins pov:

The second I'm in the bathroom and I lock the door I take one big sigh of relief. I look my self in the mirror and spray some water on my face but like..... God why does she have to be so cute.

But just the way she can like blush at anything and her skin is just like so fucking soft and not to mention her eyes.

They are just so damn beautiful to look at an-. I am pulled out of my thoughts by Angela knocking on the door and saying "hey Robin I got the music" "oh okay i'll be out in a second" i respond "okay".

I look at myself in the mirror one more time, take a deep breath and walk out the door. But the second I am out of that bathroom all that confidence just goes out the window.

And all I can see is Angela putting on the record and when the song starts to play she stands up and starts to sway her hips a little. I go to join her accidentally tripping over my own feet.

I catch myself but that doesn't stop the embarrassing feeling I got or the blush forming on my cheeks. I take a second to put myself back together, breathe and then walk to prop myself onto Angela's door frame.

Angela's pov:

The second the music hit my ears it reminded me of those once in blue moon moments when me, mom, and jack find the time at the end of the day to have a dance party after having a day of just being together. And it just seems like the night can never end.

I sway my hips to the rhythm of the song feeling the grove flow through me. And I forgot I was not alone until I heard Robin say "nice dancing". "oh...um...thank you" i say turing towards her "yeah.....is it okay if I...a..join?" "Um..yeah of course get over here".

I grab Robin's hand and pull her farther into my room. We dance for

so long, laughing and dancing and not having one care in the world.

Well that was true until I had walked into the kitchen and saw that it was 8:10. I then rushed back to my room and yelled in a frantic voice "MY MOM IS GOING TO BE HOME SOON WE NEED TO CLEAN UP" "oh um okay l-lets go".

We start to frantically clean the house. When we are done with cleaning the kitchen and living room we walk to the front door.

I go and grab robin's jacket and hand it to her. check the clock one more time and it's 8:46. We kinda just stand there in awkward silence. After a couple of seconds I start to think about this whole day and the bear we won earlier.

I tell Robin that I'll be right back and run back to my room and grab my backpack. I pull the bear out of it and go back to the front door where Robin is. I try to give the bear to her and saying "hey...um.....if you want it you ca-" "oh no you can keep it" "but I already ha-" "dude just take the bear besides I got it for you".

I then pause for a second I was not expecting her to say that, kinda took me by surprise. "Wellum thank you but are you sure you don't want it" she pauses for a second but then says "yeah I'm sure just take good care of it" "okay I promise"

We then kind of just stand there in silence until Robin puts her hand on my shoulder and says "I had a lot of fun I just hate that it had to end" "yeah me to.....maybe we could do it again when we are both free" "yeah I would really like that". She then moves her hand form my shoulder

We walk outside and we just stare at nothing for a little bit until she starts to leave but I grab her sleeve and pull her into a hug when the hug ends she says good bye, waves, and then gets back on her bike and rides home.

I walk back inside and back to my room. When I am in my room I put the bear on my dresser. I go and grab my cassette player and a cassette tape my old friend made me before I moved.

I put it in the cassette player and as the song plays I lay on my bed and close my eyes and my mind immediately starts to think about Robin. And just how her hair is so amazing, and her eyes are just the best shade of blue, and how she is like so confident in everything she says or more like comfortable.

But still she is just so fun and amazing to be around she's so damn smart too not that I didn't think she wasn't smart before but shit she's fluent in like four languages. But that's when the worst memory of mine plays in my head. The memory of my dad leaving, well more of what happened before he left.

(Memory) (homophobia warning)

I was 15 at the time I had just gotten home from my friends house. I tried to walk into my room but my dad called me into the kitchen where he was sitting. He then says "so I found something in your room so could you please explain this to me". He pulls out the one thing I wish he never found, he found the thing that terrified me. And it made my heart drop.

I start to stutter "well ug-um....I.... Well ugh.... I really don't know how and why were you in my room" "GOD DAMNIT ANGELA I CAN'T BELIEVE I FOUND THIS FUCKING SHIT IN YOUR ROOM" " WHY THE FUCK WERE YOU IN MY ROOM" "ANSWER THE FUCKING QUESTION ANGELA"

My mom then runs to where we are "why the hell are the two of you yelling" "I found this shit in your daughters room" my dad then slides the magazine to my mom. She looks at the cover for a second and then says "Henry.....WHAT THE FUCK IS WRONG WITH YOU" "what the hell do you mean what's wrong with me you should be asking what the hell is WRONG with your daughter"

"Number one she's your daughter to" "no she is not, not when she could be A FUCKING QUEER" "yeah what if she was Henry what is the fucking worst that could fucking happen if she was". He then went silent for a little bit but then said "you know what if you are going to allow this then I'm fucking leaving"

"FUCKING DO IT HENRY" he then gets up and goes to the door but not before giving me the worst look any "dad" could give. The second

he was out the door my mom closed her eyes and put her fingers on the bridge of her nose and sighed.

She then looks back at the magazine for a couple seconds and then looks at me. She sighs and then walks over to where I am. She sits next to me and says "hey....um...I am really sorry for what dad just did and said if there is anything you need to say you can but you don't have to".

I truly had no idea what to say I was completely stuck in that chair it just hurt so much to actually know that the one man I looked up to for so long just walk out of my life for something I barely understand. I knew that I didn't find that most interest in boys but I never really thought about girls that way.

I didn't even notice I was crying until my mom had hugged me. And it felt like I was crying for hours. But when I did stop I was still so confused and angry.

My mom then pulls me out of the hug and says " if you are gay that's okay I mean it will be so hard to live but if your not that's also okay just know I am here to talk to". She then gives one last hug and then grabs some lighter fluid and a lighter and said "so.....do you want to burn or sell his clothes".

(Back to real time)

The second I'm back from the memory I then realize I just might be the thing my dad walked out on me and my family for and stopped calling me his daughter for and that scared the shit out of me. At some point I start to ball my eyes out heading to the drawer I had put that fucking picture at.

I grab it and throw it on my bed. I head to the garage and grab a pair scissors and head back to my room. As pick up the picture I take a second remembering everything my dad said. All of his shitty homophobic jokes, his side remarks on jack, everthing right up to that day he left.

And i just start cutting the picture as much as i can. Even when there's nothing left to cut my angry just didn't stop. I throw the

scissors to the side of my room. And start to throw everything i could get my hands on to the ground.

But then I face the wall all i can see is him and that look he gave me before he left. And its like something in me cracked.

I just couldn't hold it back anymore and i started to punch the wall and I just keep hitting it over and over and over again. And I keep hitting it until I hear my mom yell behind me "What are you doing?" As i turn around all i can do is just start crying a whole new set of tears.

She pulls me into a very much needed hug. And I start to completely let it go ugly crying and sobbing. "Hey angela what's going on" dad's right i'm a fucking q-queer" she then pulls my head from the hug looking into my eyes.

She says "hey dad can't hurt you anymore I'm right here..... And the fact that you like girls will not only make your life harder but it will make you so much stronger as a person".

I then pull myself back into the hug she then starts to caress the top of my head and saying "just breath okay follow me 1.....2.....3 and.....1.....2.....3 now just keep doing that in 1,2,3 and out 1,2,3".

After maybe an hour of that I finally feel myself calm down. She then pulls me out of the hug but leaving both her hands on my shoulders. She takes a moment before saying "hey look at me okay don't ever call yourself that in that tone ok cause my baby isn't just fucking gay she's a badass gay".

She wipes away tears as a smile forms on my face. "You wanna talk about it? You dont have to but if you do im here"

After a couple seconds of silence I finally say "um.....yeah I would like that" "okay" "well...um.....do you remember when I had to go get that back to the future movie?" i ask. "yeah I do" she says shaking her head yes.

"um....well....there is this girl that works there here name is Robin and we hung out today a-and-" "and you think you might like her".

"yeah b-but i'm scared because of dad and i just don't want life to be harder tha-" "hey dad can't hurt you as long as I am here and also I would really like to meet this Robin girl one day....you know if you two are going to start dating I would li-" "mom stop I don't even know if she likes girls" "eh you'll know when you know".

She then goes and grabs the scissors and pieces of the cut up picture she looks at the pieces and then with one big sigh she goes and throws it in the trash. She then comes back over to me and says "I just want you to know that whatever you decide is the life for you i'll be right here" "okay.....um mom....thank you for everything" "you don't have to thank me for being a parent".

"Let's go clean up your hands" "oh um yeah sorry about that" "it's okay because your the one who's gonna fix it" she ends in a laugh, i give her slight chuckle.

After she's done cleaning my hands and the wall she then hugged me one last time and then said "good night angel" "good night". She then walked out of my room locking the door behind her. I let out a big a sigh of relief it just felt so much better to get that off my chest. It just finally fills like this house is actually my home for the first time.

I start to truly think about it and yeah I really do like Robin but I really don't know what to do with that information so I just say fuck it and go to the kitchen to grab something to eat. After I grab some chips I head back to my room and put on some pajamas.

But then my brother knocks on my door, I open the door and ask him "what do you want jack?" "it's just I'm scared because I read this book and" "and you want to sleep in my room so you feel safe" "yeah"he says putting his head down. "dude your 13 now you don't need me to fight your fears anymore" "yeah but-" "do you want me to leave the hallway light on" " yeah".

"okay follow me" we then walk to the light switch for the hallway and I turn it on. We walk to his room. When he is in bed I say "hey you want me to sing to you?" "Yeah" "okay just give me a second". I

start to sing twinkle twinkle little star.

After i'm done singing I look at him and he's fast asleep "good night jack" I whisper and kiss him on the four head. I gently walk out of his room and closed the door as quietly as I can.

I walk back to my room and before I completely close the door Lila comes running in. She again jumps onto my bed putting her self in spiral. I then go lay on my bed. God today was a roller coaster I really hope robins okay. I then eventually fall asleep with Lila in my arms.

7. "mom is going to kill me"

Angela's pov

I woke up to my mom knocking on my door and saying "hey angela...i um.. if you need to talk about anything i'm right here.....i also made breakfast soo...you better eat some before jackson eats it all"

"Oh..okay...i'll be out in a second" "okay". I take a minute to untangle myself from my blankets. When untangle myself i find myself kinda just sitting on the edge of my bed kinda just thinking about nothing.

But just like always lila rubs her next on my ankles making me jump a little. I then go and pick her up holding her in my arms. I then finally pick myself up from my bed.

Still holding her in my arms I walk out of my room and into the living room. Before i walk into the kitchen i put lila back onto the ground.

Even when i put her on the ground and walk away she still follows close behind me. I then walk into the kitchen rubbing my eye.

When i finally get into the kitchen mom says "good morning angel" "hey mom" "how did you sleep?" "Oh i sleep okay" "okay.....are sure there is nothing you need to talk about".

I have to think about it for a second i mean what do i even say i can barley put a sentence together that makes since. I want to talk about everything but dont even know how to start.

"Um.....no not really....i mean where do i even start" "okay well.... I just put Your waffles in and they should be done soon" "okay thank you".

After a couple seconds of silence jack then comes sliding into the kitchen on his socks and going head first right into the fridge.

When he backed up from the fridge holding his nose and said "im fine dont worry". He then open the fridge and grabbed a capri sun and

slide right back out kitchen.

My mom then sighed and said "that boy is going to be the death of me". I let out a slight chuckle and go sit at the table.

Jack then starts to do the thing were he keeps trying to get juice out even though there's barely any left.

"Jack stop that, sound is annoying" "why should I, your not my mom" "if you dont stop im gonna hit you" "like you would" "oh you wanna test that".

I try to hold him down in his seat but he had already hoped out of it. We then start to have this cat and mouse game and right before i could get to him mom yelled from the kitchen.

"BOTH OF YOU SIT DOWN RIGHT NOW". And right before i go to sit back down this little bitch shoves me and runs back to his seat.

When i go sit back down i say "your a little shit" "I know" "you know what i-" "Angela stop messing with your brother and come get your waffles".

I take a deep sigh and walk to kitchen. I take out my waffles and put them on a plat. As i am about to grab a fork I feel something hit the back of my head.

"THAT'S IT" i sit my food down on the counter and then started running straight towards that little bitch i have to call a brother. And before i could get to him my mom grabs me and pulls me away from him. I yell "I FUCKING HATE YOU"

"IF YOU TWO DON'T STOP MESSING WITH EACH OTHER YOU'RE BOTH GROUNDED" "but mom i did nothing" "stop lying you little piece of shit"

"THAT'S IT I HAD IT UP TO HERE WITH YOU TWO.....you know what i'm leaving jack here with you today-" "but mo-" "no i don't want to hear it from either of you....now go sit down and eat your breakfast"

We all ate breakfast in silence I was the first one to Finnish. After washing my plate and fork and putting them in the dishwasher I head back to my room.

I didn't really know what to do from there. I mean i could do a lot of things but I really don't.

And as if someone was listening to me from some great beyond lila started to scratch on my door. The second I open it she runs straight for under my bed.

The only thing I keep under is my roller skates. After a couple seconds of piecing it together I finally go and look under my bed.

I come to find lila clawing at the box holding my skates. When i finally get the box from under my bed I sit on the floor with it on my lap.

When I open it i'm kinda surprised i mean its not like i haven't used them in years its just that I really haven't found the time to use them.

And looking at them seeing all the small cuts on the wheels that came from riding it on gravelly pavement. I then finally move my fingers to feel the blue leather.

After a couple moments of silence I find myself putting the lid back over the box. I just don't feel like using them today.

After maybe a couple hours mom calls both me and jack to the living room.

When we're both there mom says "i'm about to leave and that means jack no bothering your sister and Angela same goes for you".

She says goodbye grabbing the keys on the counter. And right before she walks out the door "and the house should be here when i get back" "okay".

The second shes out the door and in her car i head back to my room but before i can open the door I hear jack say "can you take me

somewhere" "what" "i really want to go somewhere other than my room so could you please take me somewhere"

"No" "please" "no" "i'll do anything you ask i promise" he says. "still....no" and right as open my door I take a big sigh as i remember the video rental store.

That's when i take a sigh of defeat as i slowly turn around and say "hey jack.... i'll take you somewhere BUT you have keep up on that promise to do everything i say" "but-" "you still want to go" "yeah".

"Well then we leave in a hour and 30 get ready". He then runs back to his room. But then runs back out with clothes and a towel in his arms into the bathroom.,/p.

When i'm finally back in my room i flop onto my bed. After a couple seconds of silence i pick myself up from my bed and walk over to my closet.

I pick out some shorts and a plan rainbow striped shirt. I then sit them and everything else i need on my bed. After a couple more minutes i hear the shower turn off.

Then after a minute or two I hear the bathroom door open. I grab my clothes and towel. I walk to the bathroom.

When i'm done taking my shower I grab a comb and brush through my hair. I then put on my clothes and warp my towel around my hair.

After that i grab my old clothes and walk back to my room. When im in my room i close and lock the door.

I put my dirty clothes in my dirty clothes bin. I go and grab my backpack and put it on my bed. I grab a pair of my shoes and socks then put them on.

I head back to the bathroom grabbing two hair ties on the way out. When i'm in the bathroom I part my hair down the middle.

Then I put my hair into two braids and leaving out a couple strands of hair at the front of my face. After that i head to the kitchen and grab a couple water bottles and some snacks.

I head out of the kitchen and back to my room. Once i'm in my room I go under my bed grab a box holding the money i've made over time.

I grab 30 bucks and stuff it into the smaller pocket on my backpack. After having one last good look in the mirror I walk to my brothers door and knock.

"Hey jack you ready" "in just a second" "okay i'll be waiting by the door" "okay". I go to put some food in lila's bowl and look at the clock. Its 12:27. I then grab a pen from the counter and write "8:15" on my wrist.

I grab the spare house keys off the counter and wait by the door. After a couple seconds jake comes out of his door.

He asks me "where are we going ?" "You'll see" "fine". After locking the door and closing it I say "you want to use your bike or ride on the back of mine" "i'll ride my bike" "okay...but you are using your helmet"

"But i don't need it" "and i don't care if something bad happens to you that's on me so get your helmet" "fine".

Once we are finally at the video store I put both of are bikes up and say "okay we spend however long I need in there and then we do anything you want" "okay".

When i walk in there I feel the cool air hit my face."hey jack go look around i'll find you later" "okay". Once i'm at the counter i ask "hey steve where's robin" "wait how do you know my name" "oh um me and robin were talking the other day and she told me about how you guys worked at scoops ahoy"

"Oh.....well she called in sick today said she had got caught in the rain yesterday" "oh okay.....well tell her i hope she gets better" "i will" "thanks".

I really hope she's okay i completely forgot it was raining last night. I then go to find jack. I find him looking at the action section. He's holding up a Indiana Jones movie.

"Hey jack" "hey" "so....what do you want to do?" "Um...can we go to the arcade" "yeah...you want that movie"

"oh um...this i mean yeah but you don-" "hey don't worry about it, if you want it then i'll get it for you" "okay what's going on with you, your being nice to me" "can't i just be nice" "no" "yeah well your my brother and do you want the movie or not"

"Yeah but i'm sleeping with one eye open" "whatever you say". We walk over to the cash register and pay "the total will be \$6.07" "here you go" "enjoy your movie and have a good day" "thanks, you too".

Once we are outside jack says "thanks for the movie" "no problem". We then head to the arcade.

When were inside i tell him to wait by the entrance until i come back. I then head to thing where you exchange money for coins and put in two ten bucks.

After grabbing all the coins i head back to jack. "Hey what game you want to play first?" "Umm.....pac-man".

We played as many games as we could it was fun and we both found out that jack is really good Donkey Kong. And it was great until we were down to only 4 coins i asked jack "do you want to get more coins or head home?" "I really want to play some more games" "okay wait here i'll go get some".

(Homophobia warning)

When I was done getting more coins I here someone say "hey fa**ot" I turn around at lightning speed but i find no one there. I then run over to jack finding three older boys picking on him.

I find myself moving as fast as i could to jack. "What did you just say to him" "i called him a fucking fagg-" and before i know it I punch him in the face.

i didn't stop hitting the kid until i heard a crack. Turns out I had broken his nose or until the point it was bleeding.

And that's when the boys, me and jack had separated. The one who i had broken the nose of said "your a bitch and your brothers a fag" "get some new material asshole"

That's when the boys run out of the arcade. And I run out after them to find them slashing the wheels my brothers bike.

And I just silently whisper "fuck" as I just know i'll have to call mom and wait for my slow death.

It's been a couple minutes and me and my brother are sitting on the sidewalk waiting for mom to come pick us up.

"Hey you okay?" Jack asks "I mean mom is going to kill me and i didn't even get to get any prizes so not really" i reply. "why did you do that" he asks looking away from me. "I mean your my brother and it's like a law to stand up for your family" "no its not" he says. "yeah, but still your my brother and its my job to take care of you"

"Thanks....i um....i....i lov..god why can't i say it" He says frustrated "hey its okay you don't have to say I know it already, plus your doing my chores for a week" "but-" "kidding but still you don't have to say it, i love you too jack"

A small smile appeared on our faces but then was demolished with seeing mom's car.

The ride home was silent no one said a word. You could feel not only my fear but my mom's anger from a mile away. When we got home mom still didn't say a word.

She just sat in the car saying absolutely nothing. She then said "jack here are the keys go to your room, Angela put your bike up and go to the living room I don't want to hear a word i'll be in there in a minute".

We did everything mom told us to do and when we were inside jack said "see you on the other side" "bury me in roses".

He gives a laugh and walks to his room. That's when the fear sets back in and i take the walk to the couch sitting in silence.

Minutes felt like years waiting for my mom to come out of the car. But when she finally opens the door I wish had more time.

I can hear her close and lock the door behind her, and set her bag on the counter. It feels like im waiting for my head to be chopped of by a guillotine. With every step she takes a new level a fear and anxiety set in.

The tension in the room was so thick almost making me cough. But it felt like everything stopped when my mom spoke.

"Will you please explain to me what happened at the arcade" "ok well I was getting more coins to play more games when heard some kids yell something.... I then went over to jack and found some boys picking on him and that's when the fight started"

She takes a deep sigh and says "Angelica.... i'm glad your finally being nice to your brother and sticking up for him but you have stop using your fist to do that" "but mom you don't unders-" "WHAT don't i understand Angelica"

"It's just that they...they..they called him a..a.a. fa..fagg-" "hey calm down just breath in and out.... i'm sorry they called him that and for yelling at you but I don't want you to use your fist as much as you do"

"Okay i'll try to..um..to not fight that much" "okay thank you, but also im proud of you for standing up for jack that was the right thing but you shouldn't have started a fight to stand up for him"

"I didn't even tell you I started it" "your my daughter and plus this morning you almost killed your brother" i chuckle "yeah your right"

"So am i in troub-" "yes you are-" before she could finish her sentence jack comes out of his room and says "could she not be in trouble i mean she was just protecting me"

Mom goes quiet for a couple seconds than says "okay well the only thing I will say is Angela your grounded but only for 1 week" "thank you so much"

It was around 10 pm and i am in my room reading a book when I hear a knock on my door. I get up to open door and find jack holding the Indiana Jones movie.

"Hey you um wanna watch the movie ?" I give a slight smile and reply with "yeah lets go..you want popcorn" "of course who doesn't eat popcorn while watching a movie"

The night ended with me and jack asleep on the couch snuggled up in a blanket while the credits play in the background.

8. sick day

Notes for the Chapter:

this is just a short filler chapter nothing much happens just robin being sick.

Robins pov:

Robin's pov:

It feels like i'm stuck. I don't know why but it feels like i can't move it might be the mountain of blankets on me or the fact the only place i've been for the past couple days is my house.

The one day i decided to not bring a jacket with me to work was the one day that it just had to rain. And plus school is starting up in a couple weeks and i haven't done anything about it.

Life in general just sucks and all i wanna do is hang out with Steve or Angela. As i'm thinking of that i hear a knock on my window. It felt like i jumped out of my skin when it turned out to be steve.

I get up from my bed to open my window to get him inside."Hey, how are you?" "Currently I feel like i'm on the verge of death" "well I brought you some food so I hope it helps". He then held up 3 bags of Totino's pizza rolls. I then started laughing lightly "thank you and it does, but why so many?" "why not?" "Can't fight that logic especially in this condition". We then both start laughing.

I got up from my bed and we went downstairs to the kitchen. I walked over to a counter and laid on it as steve looked for a pan to cook the pizza rolls. I started to fill myself doze off. Before I know it im on the cold floor. "Robin you ok?" Steve ask. I don't say anything just shrug my shoulders.

"I'm gonna get you some water" steve says getting up and heading to the cabinets to find a cup. As he turns on the sink faucet I force myself to sit up. Not to long after steve's crouching next to me handing me a cup of water.

I take it and down the whole thing in one go. "Damn....well i'm gonna check on the pizza rolls just stay right here" Steve says before getting back up.

After a minute he says "They're done" pulling the tray out of the oven and sitting it on the stove. I pull myself off the floor and lean on the counter.

Once we had gotten ourselves to the dinning table we had decided to see how many we could eat until we were full. After maybe ten minutes steve said "That's it i'm out" " we haven't even gotten to half way through the bag" i say " I know but fuck i'm full".

I started laughing my ass off but I started choking on one of pizza rolls then steve started laughing. And that's how we ended up on the floor laughing uncontrollably. It was honestly the most fun i had this week.

After we through away our trash we ended up on the couch watching MTV. "Hey robin that girl Angela came into the store and said hi and she hopes you get better" "oh well tell her I said thank you if i can't come in tomorrow" "okay".

At around 7pm steve finally went back home. Today was one of the best sick days I had. I went back up into my room and flopped onto my bed. After a couple a minutes of shifting around I finally fell asleep.

9. let's have some fun

Summary for the Chapter:

Cute almost date. Just robin and angela having some cute moments while steve try's to play matchmaker.

angela's pov:

I woke up to lila sniffing my nose forcing me awake. "Damn it lila you know I hate that" I say as I pet her softly. I set myself up and crack my knuckles. The sunlight shining through my window light up my room perfectly.

I get up from my bed and stretch. I walk out of my room and into the bathroom to brush my teeth. While brushing my teeth I looked myself in the mirror. I couldn't tell what it is but something about me is differently not bad just different.

I shake my head and finish brushing my teeth. I dry my hands on the towel sitting on the corner of the sink.

I walk out of the bathroom and into the kitchen. As I walked to the fridge I saw mom had left a note saying how she got called in early for work. I sigh and open the fridge looking for waffles.

I grab the box and pull two out and pushed the box back in the fridge. As I put them in the toaster the phone started to ring. I walk over to it and pick it up. "Hello?" I ask wondering who was calling.

"Angela?" I hear a familiar voice ask through the phone. "Robin?" I ask a smile growing on my face. "Yeah so glad you picked up" She says with relief in her voice. "How'd you get my number?" I ask "phone book" "ooh ok...I'll be right back my waffles just popped out" I say as I hear the waffles signal that they're done.

"I'll be right here" robin says before i walk over to get a plate and sit the waffles on I grab the syrup and pour it onto the waffles. I grab a clean fork from the sink and sit it on the table.

I run back over to the phone and pick it up to my ear. "hey i'm back" I

say almost out of breath. "great...um so there was something I wanted to ask you if you are free to hang out today" she asks "yeah i am but i have to be back here before my mom is" I say.

"oh well they opened up this new roller rink a couple days ago and I remembered how you said you liked roller skating sooo I thought that I could take you there one day" she says.

I smiled to myself hearing her words. I felt my face grow hot and replied with "so roller skating sounds like a date....I would love to go...but um how are we supposed to get there?" I ask her.

"oh I called up steve just in case you said no and he has a car so when he picks me up then we'll head to your house" she says.

"Great well i'm gonna go get dressed and everything, see you guys when you get here" I say before hanging up the phone.

I walk over to my waffles to find them cold "shit" I say before siting them on the counter next to the sink. I race to my bedroom and head to my closet.

I slide through the hangers and clothes until I found a pair of yellow shorts and matching yellow button up.

I throw off my pj's and put on the new clothes I picked out. I go to my bathroom to fix myself up. I tie up the end of my shirt and put my braids in a half up half down hairstyle.

I put on a yellow headband and go back to my room. I grab a brown belt and the yellow converses I got for my birthday last year.

After I got both on I sat on the ground next to my bed and pulled out the box holding my skates from underneath.

I pull them out of the box and tie the strings to each other and sit them on the ground next to me. I go back into the bathroom to get a finale look at myself.

For the first time in a while I look and feel good about myself. I here a couple knocks on the front door and run over to it.

I open the door to find robin and steve standing in front of me. I feel a smile form on my face seeing robin. She had black sunglasses in her hair and black muscle shirt tucked into mom jeans.

"you ready?" steve asks me. "Yep just need to grab my skates and leave a note just incase my mom gets home early" I answer walking back in.

I wave at them to come inside. As they do i walk back into my room and pick my skates back up. I walk past the living room and into the kitchen. I grab a sticky note and pen out of one of the drawers.

I write down that if im not home i'm with robin roller skating. I stick it under a magnet on the fridge.

"And i am ready" i say walking back to robin and steve. I smile at both of them before grabbing my spare of keys and walking out the door.

I walked out the door to find a Cadillac with the hood down sitting in the driveway. I stop in my tracks seeing it. "Sweet right" steve says hoping in the driver's seat.

"hell yeah, this is honestly my dream car" I say getting into the back as robin slide into the passenger seat and sunglasses over her eyes.

Robin turned to me and said "you look amazing by the way...." She looked me up and down. "Yellow is definitely your color" she says and turns back around in her seat.

I turn my head down to try and hide my smile as i felt my face heat up.

As he pulls out of my driveway and starts driving to the roller rink i can feel the wind blow against my face and body. I turn my head up to the sky and close my eyes.

third person pov

As angela tilted her head back, robin pushed her glasses back into her hair and turned to ask her something. But as robin saw angela the words die in her mouth. Somehow heaven is a place on earth started

playing on the radio.

She looked at her for a couple seconds, her facial expressions soften. She flipped her sunglasses back over her eyes and turn back around.

Angela's pov

Not long after I open my eyes back up to robin tapping me on my knee. I look up to find us driving in front of a big shiny building with the words "new waters: roller rink and arcade" in cursive.

All the kids walking in and out of the place looked richer than rich. All wearing pastels and cardigans around their necks. Before I know it steve had parked and we started getting out.

I grip tightly onto my old and beaten brown skates as I ask "So where are your guys's skates?". Steve answered with "Oh we're just going to rent some here". "Oh ok" I reply shaking my head.

The fresh air smell from inside hit me like a truck going full speed the second we stepped inside. I look around finding people rolling across the whole place and having fun.

Robin interlocks her hand with mine. I look down and back up at her. "So we don't lose each other" she says in my ear. "ok" i reply as we all walked forwarded.

Once they had gotten their skates we put them on and I handed my shoes to the guy. Steve had waved us goodbye to go flirt with some girls.

I noticed robin looked almost green and uneasy. "You okay?" I ask worried. "I've never skated before" she says trying to stand but sitting right back down.

I pull her up and try to balance her using myself. When she finally looked like she had a good hold on me i start moving slowly outside the rink.

But the second i try to let her go she grips tightly onto the walls and just about anything that could hold her weight.

I bite on my lips and hang my head down trying not to laugh. "This isn't funny she says hanging onto the side of the rink for dear life.

"I know, i know but you look like a baby giraffe or something" i say before bursting in laughter as she fell to the ground.

I skate over and help her up still laughing. "You're evil" she says sarcastically. "Thank you" i reply still laughing.

As she holds on to my right arm to keep her up I saw her eyes. The purple and blue lights from above lightning up the place made her eyes look so beautiful.

"What's up?" She asks me. I try to look away but i just couldn't. "Uh nothing just the lighting is nice" I say gesturing towards the overhead lighting. "Can we go play some games? Robin asks.

"Sure" I say. She smiles and we start moving towards the arcade far from the rink. I look over the games to find Steve flirting with a girl next to the pac-man game.

"Look's like someone has a new friend" I say gesturing towards Steve. Robin looks over and chuckle's and we keep moving.

We keep going until we find a claw machine. Robin pulls a couple of quarters from her pocket and put them in the machine. She gestures for me to play as she watches.

I actually win a small green frog stuffed animal. After I got the toy out of the machine I turn to robin and say "I'm gonna have to bring you around when I play games, i swear you're like my good luck charm or something".

She smiled and I smiled back. Moments like this were really nice almost perfect in a sense. She puts my hand in hers and I try to hide how happy it made me.

"You wanna go sit down?" I ask her. She shakes her head yes and I start moving us to a booth as far as I could find. we sit ourselves opposite of each other.

"What do you wanna do when you get out of this place?" I ask to fill

the silence. "Um i don't know...I was thinking college or just getting an apartment somewhere... but I don't have the money for that yet" she answers." "You know what that actually sounds like a good idea.... once I get a job I'm helping you with that" she looks at me confused.

"with what?" "The apartment" I say. "I wasn't being serious" she says. "Well i am and trust me if i was gonna live with anyone its gonna be you, plus i think its about time i move out" I reply

"Same but where would we even find an apartment?" She ask. "Anywhere you just have to know where to look" I say assured. She smiles and lowers her head.

After a couple seconds of silence I hear steve say 'Hey guys, got ya guys pizza' as he places the platter of pizza on the table. A smile spread across my face as he slid into the seat next to robin.

"Thanks steve" I say before taking a slice and starting to eat it. "Where's your girl?" Robin asks before taking a slice. Steve laughs and says "She already got a guy".

He points towards the rink and I turn to find that same girl with another guy. "Damn" I say turning back around and counting to eat my pizza.

"Yeah" He says slouching into his seat. "Hey don't get sad we got pizza. Eat." i say trying to cheer him up.

"I knew I liked you" He says before eating a slice. I look over to Robin to find she had eaten two slices already. "Damn robin was it that good" I say laughing. She laughs and we eat our pizza.

"Let's go skate" I say to robin finishing my last slice. "Are you crazy? You already know I can't" She says wiping her mouth with a napkin. "Then why are we here? let me try to teach you. If you hate we can stop". I say trying to compromise

She thinks for a second then says "Fine". I smile in victory and get up from my seat.

Steve slides out from his seat letting robin out and slides back in. I hold my hand out for her to take.

She takes my hand and I move us towards the rink. She's actually doing pretty great for someone who "can't skate".

There wasn't a lot of people skating right now so it was easy to try and teach her. Her grip on my hand tighten when we finally got inside the rink. I look next to me and up to her and say "You can do this I believe in you".

She back at me try's to hide how worried she looks. "Take a deep breath and just push off the other foot and keep pushing" I say. She takes a deep breath and lets go of my hand.

She starts to skate with out me she doesn't look good but she's doing it. "Hey how do I sto-" Her sentence is cut short by slamming into the ground. I lift my hand to my mouth and say "Oh shit".

I skate over as fast as I can and try to pick her up. "You okay?" I ask. She looks up at me wincing. She's not bleeding or have any bumps on her head. "Can We please sit down?" She ask Still wincing.

"Yeah just let me get steve" I say. I look up to find steve looking confused. I wave him over and he doesn't even hesitates to start skating over to us. "What happened?" He ask. "She ate shit now we gotta sit her down" I say as we help her up.

We get out of the rink and sit her in an empty booth. "I'm gonna get some ice just incase" Steve says before skating off. "I'm sorry" I say sliding into the seat opposite from her.

"Don't be this barley scratches the surface of bad things that have happed to me...plus is was pretty fun before falling" She says a smilie forming on her face as she held a side of her head.

Steve comes back with a small bag of ice covered with a couple napkins. "Here you go" He says handing it to robin. He sits next to me instead of robin and we just sit together.

"I;m gonna return my skates" Robin says sitting the ice on the table. She scoots to the end of her seat, bends down and unties her skates.

She tries to get up but immediately sits back down.

"Ok no you're not" I say. Steve get's up and takes the skates from her and she says "Thanks" "no problem" he reply's walking away and coming back with her shoes.

"You guys ready to go?" Steve ask us. I shake my head yes getting up. "Yeah" Robin says getting up and slinging her right arm over my shoulders. "Let's bounce" I say rolling towards the place where we can return our skates.

Robin walks over to the trash and throws the ice away.

As steve returns his skates I sit myself on a bench and take off my skates and put my sneakers back on. After we got ourselves and collected we walk out of the place

We walk towards the car. Since the top was down I slide over the door and sit in the seat behind the passenger seat. Robin hopped in next to me and steve started the car.

She slid her hand over my thigh as I felt my self dose off. I slide my head onto her shoulder put my sunglasses over my eyes and close them. I open my eyes to find us pulling into a gas station and parking still in robin's arms.

"You want a slushy?" she asks me notching I was awake. I move my shades up and rub my eyes and say "sure...can you get me one?". "Of course what flavor?" she asks.

"Red flavor" I say still tired as steve and robin unbuckles and gets out the car. After a couple minutes they both come back with a whole bag of candy and slushy's in hand.

Steve goes and pumps gas after throwing the bag of candy in the car. Robin hands me the slushy's and hops back into her seat. I hold both of the slushy's up and she takes one.

As I start to drink mine I realize that it's hers not mine. I look to her and she looks back at me with the same expression. We laugh and she ask "you wanna trade or?" I smile and " I actually like this flavor so it's good".

"Raspberry" She says popping her mouth off her straw. "You guys should just kiss and make purple" Steve says getting back in the car. I start chocking on the drink and robins face goes red.

"Oh my god steve" Robin says. "What? just pointing out the obvious" He says driving off. I put my shades over my eyes and let out a laugh. "So you got jokes now" I say. He laughs counting to drive.

I look over to her and put my hand on her knee. Her face was still red. I let out a laugh and kissed her cheek.

I go back to drinking my slushy with my hand still on her knee. The sun was starting to set and it felt like we were in a world of our own. I sit up and reach over the passenger seat for the candy.

I open the bag to find peach rings. "hell yes" I say pulling them out of the bag and putting the bag on the floor. I open the bag and pour some in my hand and start to eat them.

As we drove back to my house the sky was getting darker every minute. I look over to robin to find her looking up towards the sky. Her hair flowed with the wind behind her.

I tap onto her shoulder getting an idea. She looks to me and I ask "You wanna take on that idea of making purple?". She looks at me shocked. I smile and say "I was just kidding we don't gotta".

"I want to if you want to" She says a little more confident and leaning in. I look back up at her and close the gap between us. Her lips were soft and smooth and tasted like strawberry's.

Then out of nowhere it just hit me that I'm kissing the girl of my dreams in the car of my dreams. holy shit. I pull away and sit my head in my hand. Trying to hide a smile I look down.

She places her hand on my cheek and kisses me again. As we pull away from each other I look up at her and feel a sense of happiness. She has a content smile and slides her arm over my shoulders.

I settle back into my seat with her arm still around me. I reach my hand up to hers and we hold each others hand.

We pull into my drive way and park. "This was really fun, Thanks for inviting me" I say getting out and pulling my keys out of my pockets. "Yeah" robin says following me to my front door.

"Bye steve" I yell back at the car as we walk to my door. "See ya" He yells back. As I put the key into the lock and turn I turn back to robin and kiss her on the cheek. "See you around robin" I say entering my house

Robin's pov:

I watch her walk into her house and move my hand over the cheek she kissed. I walk away on cloud-9 and hop into the passenger seat. As he starts the car again steve says "Proud of you".

"Oh shut up" I say putting my shades back on. He looks at me and I look back. We laugh and he starts to drive off back to my house.

10. Halloween confessions

Angela's pov:

A couple months have passed and finally it was Halloween my favorite day of the year. The leaves were changing to orange and brown, the air was cool and crisp and mom was taking jack trick or treating tonight so I had the house all to myself.

I decided to surprise robin by meeting her when she got off from work today.

It was almost 4:30 when robin gets off her job. As we were walking to our bikes she was telling me about how a costumer farted and tried to act like it didn't happen.

"It just smelt so fucking bad". We both laugh at that.

"Well I get the whole house to myself tonight since mom is taking jack trick or treating" I say. "Oh cool" She says as we continue to walk.

Once we finally got to our bikes robin grabbed my hand. "Hey um- is it okay if I can stay with you tonight".

"of course you can" I say. Her grip on my hand tightens up a little bit before letting go.

As we ride out to my house I notice how amazing her hair looked flowing in the wind. With all the leaves turning orange it was like a scene out of movie.

"You ever see that movie heathers?" I ask robin "Yeah" she says nodding her head "I made whole costume for veronica" I say. "

We silently ride to my house. As we ride into my driveway mom's car is there. Forgot she wasn't working today. "Fuck" I try to say under my breath. "what's wrong?" I hear robin ask me. "Ready to meet my mom?" I turn my head towards her. "Oh" "yeah".

As we put are bikes up i start to get really nervous and have to take some deep breaths. I feel robin's hand on my shoulder.

As I look over to her she looks back at me and gives me a reassuring look. She squeezes my shoulder before she slides it off and back to her side.

I take my key out of my pocket and unlock the door. I yell out "MOM I'M HOME and i brought someone with me".

As we walk in mom walks out of her room "hey angela, who's this?" she asks me turning to robin.

"She's robin, robin this is my mom" robin gives her a small wave and smile. I can feel myself die a little inside.

"Oh this is robin, yeah she's told me about you I've just been dying to meet you" she says as she takes robin into hug.

As they part from the hug robin says "well it's nice to meet you too". After a couple seconds of silence i finally say "yeah so we're gonna go hang out for a bit".

As we head to my room mom calls me back over to her I tell robin to just go to my room.

"So that's robin I hope" mom asks me. "yeah that's uh robin" "she seems nice" she comments. "among other things that too" I feel a smile form on my lips.

"oh so you got it bad don't you" she says smug. "mom stop she could hear us" I say feeling embarrassed.

"She better, she could finally come over for dinner sometime" she says jokingly "mom stop. Please" "okay, okay I'll stop" she puts her hands up.

"Thanks..... So i'm gonna go back to my room now" I say walking away."okay... don't have to much fun" She says "mom" I say turning back around. "okay i'll stop forreal this time".

As i walk to my room I let sigh of relief and hope robin didn't hear

any of that. I walk into my room i see robin was laying on my bed with holding my camera.

"You wanna take a picture?" I ask her. She looks up from the camera towards me "oh i'm sorry for not asking if i-" "its ok i don't really use that thing much anyways".

I give a chuckle at the end. "Sorry about my mom she can be a litt-" "oh no it's perfectly fine... she's nice" robin says happily. "yeah she is".

We kinda stand awkwardly before robin points to the dent in the wall "so what happened there?" She asks me.

"Oh um.... started to remember someone i wish i could forget" i say looking down.

"oh sorry" she says with sympathy "no don't be it's okay". And again we go back to that awkward silence.

"You got some strong hits though" She says to fill the silence. "oh yeah guess I do" I say looking down and rubbing the back of my neck.

She puts the camera back on the shelf and then grabs her backpack. She pulls out the sheet and sunglasses. She throws the sheet over her head.

As she does so I notice she had cut holes for her eyes. After that she pulled the glasses out and put them on her head.

After putting it all together she turned towards me and asked "so how do look?" It took me a second to answer but i said " you look great...real spooky" "perfect" She says trying to give me two thumbs up through the sheet.

She pulls it off and run her hands through her hair a couple times. The front parts of her hair sculpted her face on each side perfectly. I can't even count the amount of times i have wanted to run my hands through her hair.

"Why don't you go try yours on" she says pulling me out of my thoughts. "Oh yeah just give me a second" I walk over to my closet and pull out the costume.

I then walk to the bathroom after grabbing everything i need. After a couple minutes i had on everything i needed.

I take a second to look into the mirror and I start to think that I look stupid. I don't think people are going to get it.

I had decided to finally take my braids out and let my afro out.

But then I hear robin from outside the bathroom ask me if im done yet. I take a deep breath and head to the door.

It takes me a second to finally open the door. When I do I see robin look kinda stunned.

"I know it looks awful don't it" I say almost on command. But robin just says "no you look show stopping to be honest". As my face grows hot from the compliment I notice her looking me up and down.

Any other time someone did this I always felt uncomfortable and like a spectacle. It was as if they weren't looking at me but just my body.

But with her it feels like she is actually appreciating how I look. She was taking all of me in, from head to toe and for once it felt nice to be looked at.

"well why don't we go listen to some music" I say with fake confidence and walk back to my room.

I plug in my record player and grab a random album my mom gave me. It's Etta James At last.

I take the album out and place it on the record and let it play. As "Anything to say you're mine" plays I sit on my bed.

I waved at her to come in. She smiled and sat on the floor right in front of my bed and laying her head back on my bed.

She closed her eyes and tilted her head back as the music played. She looked so peaceful and beautiful.

But then she opened her eyes and I felt my throat close up and my face grow hot. Quickly I turn my head away from her.

She laughs and closes her eyes. I lay myself on my back and place my hands over my stomach. As the music played I felt at peace.

But it got cut short by mom coming in and saying "I'm about to take jack out we'll be back around 9, have you fun you two". I lift myself up and nod my head. "Bye mom" I say as she starts to leave.

She walked out with jack following not far behind. The front door opens and closes as they leave. "I really like this song" Robin says with her eyes still closed.

"Yeah it's one of my favorites" I say. We sit and listen until the music stops. I hop up from my spot on the bed and walk to the record player. I lift the needle up and move it away from the record.

I flip it over and put the needle back on. Before I can get back to my spot on the bed robin gets up and leaves her hand out for me to grab. "May I have this dance?" She asks still out.

I laugh and take her hand. To my surprise she twirls me around and dips me.

My eyes go wide and my face grows hot. She picks me up and slides her hands over my waist and I slide mine over her shoulders.

We sway in each others arms. I slide my arms to her back and pull us closer together. I lay my head under hers and we stay like that until the record stops playing.

We part from each other and I noticed robin's face has grown a little red. I rub the back of my neck before robin says "So I brought some scary movies if you wanna watch".

"Sure whatcha got?" I ask sitting myself back on my bed. She picks up her backpack and hangs it upside down. Multiple movies fall out to my bedroom floor. I slide off of the bed and onto my knees in front of the movies.

I search through them and find christine. I smile and look up to robin holding up cujo. "Jesus I could never make it through that movie" I say to her. She laughs and I look up.

"It's not funny" I say looking through the rest of the movies. "I know, I know." she says trying to hide her laughter.

"You pick first and then mine and will keep going until we're tired" She says sitting the movie by her side. I shake my head in agreement and pick up Carrie.

I pick myself off the ground and help put the movies back in her backpack. She zips it up and slide it over her shoulder. We walk out to the living room and I slide myself in front of the tv.

I slide the movie out of the box and turn the tv on. I put the vhs into the player and press the play button.

I turn around and stand. I sit next to Robin leaving just enough room between us.

As the movie started to play Robin yawned. She stretched her arm out and landed it over my shoulder. She thinks she's slick. I side eye her trying to hide my smile. I shimmy closer to her.

I rest my left hand on her thigh and my head onto her shoulder.

I don't remember closing my eyes but I remember Robin shaking me awake. I move myself up from her side so she could change the movie.

"Sorry about that it's a bad habit of mine" I say rubbing my eye. "It's ok" she says getting back in her spot.

I look to the tv and wait for the movie to start. Before I knew it the word *cujo* popped up on the screen and I immediately looked over to Robin. "Really" I say. She looks back at me and smiles before turning back to the tv.

I let out a laugh and turn my head back to the movie. I snuggle closer to her as the movie played.

After the movie ended I got up and stretched. "Can you go turn the light on?" I ask her. "Oh yeah no problem". As the light turns on I walk over to the tv and take the movie out.

I get up and put the vhs back in box. I'm not really paying attention and next thing i know i bump right into robin.

Dropping the vhs onto the floor I feel robin grab onto my arms to stabilize us. After taking a couple deep breaths I look into her eyes and something in me just cant take it anymore.

I just need a little more. So I lean in closing the space between us. It turns out to just be a small peck but even that sent me into an automatic panic mood.

I lower my head so i don't have to face her. But then i feel her hand rise and rest on the right side of my face.

She whispers "it's ok...i promise" as i feel her hand slide from my cheek to my chin and slowly raise my head up.

I look back into her eyes and I can start to feel my eyes become glossy.

Noticing her face moving closer to mine I make the trip shorter and I kiss her. For what feels like the first time ever in my life I genuinely don't care in the best way possible.

All I can think about is the fact that I am kissing robin fucking buckley again. I am full on kissing robin buckley in my living room.

After a couple seconds we part from each other taking in our own deep breaths.

Slowly I back away from her and sit back down on the couch. She slowly follows after me. I ghost my fingers over my lips.

"I need to sit down" Robin says moving to the couch. "You okay?" I ask. "Yeah...just do you want to do this?" Robin ask gesturing towards us.

"Oh yeah I want to I just....what happens after tonight?" I question.

I turn my head to face her but she's still looking down. "robin, just look at me" I tell her. Slowly she lifts her head up and runs her face behind her hands until they are under her chin.

She finally turns her head towards my mine and says "I don't know...i'm sorry I just don't know what will happen".

All I can seem to do is just look her in the eyes but then I catch a glimpse of her lips.

Slowly I slide my head onto her shoulder and say "I guess will just have to wait and see won't we?" "Yeah I guess we will" she replies softly.

I remove my head from her shoulder and get up from the couch reaching my hand out for robin to grab. She takes it and I lead her back to my room.

After closing and locking the door to my room robin turns me around and kisses me.

She softly shoved me against my wall. She moves her hands into mine and our fingers intertwine with each others. She starts to kiss my jawline and neck but she stops herself and ask me "Do you want to do this?".

"yeah... but i've never done this before and I just-" "Its ok we can just stick to the kissing stuff" she says with a smile as she's returning to kiss me.

"But I want to do more than kissing...i...just....i'll say when to stop" I say before she can continue.

She gives me a confused at first but then shakes her head yes. As she starts to kiss my neck again I let out a small sigh of relief and to my surprise pleasure.

She removes her hands from mine and slid them down to the straps of my dress and pulled them off my shoulders. I slid the dress onto the ground leaving me in just the sweater and underwear I'm wearing underneath.

She slides her hands up from my hips to under my sweater and up to my boobs. A moan came out of my mouth as she gripped them softly.

she removes her mouth from my neck and looks at me. She smirks and connects her mouth with mine. I put my arms over her shoulders and interlock my hands together behind her back.

We fall into sync with each other so easily its almost like melted butter. She puts her hands on my ass and lifts me up.

I jump up and interlock my legs together behind her back. Her grip on me drives me crazy in the best way. She walks us over to my bed and lays me down gently.

She pulls herself up and takes her shirt off. It felt like my mouth went dry the second she had it of. I move my hands to the hem of my shirt and pull it up and over my head.

As I through it onto my floor robin bends down and kisses me. I close my eyes and melt into the kiss. I feel her hands come all over me until they reach the waist band of my underwear

But my chest grows tight and I stop functioning, I try to break through it but all I can do is stay still.

"Angela you okay?" Robin ask quietly. "It's not your fault... I just haven't done this before... and I really want but I just.. i'm sorry" I say as.

"Hey don't blame yourself you're just not ready and that's ok" She says as she pulls me in for a hug. "But I really like you...are you sure?" I say unsure.

She pulls me away from the hug and says "Yes i'm sure...we don't ever have to do this ok?". "okay" I say, a smile forming on my face.

She looks at me for a few seconds then kisses me on my forehead. "now let's get some sleep...im getting tired" she says.

"Wait I need to wipe my makeup off and get ready" I give her a quick peck on the lips before getting up and heading to closet.

"What do you mean get ready?" "Robin ask confused. It then hits me that she's never seen how i look when I sleep. "You know what I'm just gonna show you" I say."

I grab plaid shorts and a white tank top and walk into the bathroom. I through the rest of the costume onto the ground and put my pj's on.

I open up the cupboard under the sink and pull out the make-up remover.

Once I get the makeup off I rinse over my face with water, and put a bonnet over my hair, I grab my costume and walk out the bathroom into my room.

I walk In to find robin asleep on her back and still in her old clothes.

I put my costume with the rest of my dirty laundry. I walk over to robin and nudge her a little to wake her up.

She opens her eyes and gives me a look. Not of judgement but rather appreciation. "What?" I ask. "You look so beautiful" She says before pulling me in for a kiss.

After a couple seconds we part.

She groggily says "what's wrong?" "You're still wearing jeans" I whisper back to her.

"Oh shit...I really am tired" she laughs. I get up and grab a pair of sweats and walk back to her. "Here you go" "thanks" she replies almost asleep.

I back up and turn around to give her space. When I hear her shuffle back into my bed I turn back around. She's lifts my cover up and ask "You coming?".

I smile and hopped into bed. Before I turn over away from her she kisses me.

It leaves me with the biggest smile on my face. I turn over and feel her arm slide over stomach.

For the first time in a long time I fall asleep happy.

11. the saturday after

Robin's pov:

I wake up with my arm still warped around angela. But during the night she had shifted to where her body faced me instead of her back.

The sunlight from her window made her skin glisten like she's got glitter over her.

She's so effortlessly beautiful. And the fact that I get a front row view is the cherry on top.

Her yellow plaid bed comforter warped around us added another layer of warmth and happiness. For a small moment I swear I died and went to heaven.

I can barely believe anything that happened yesterday actually happened. Even right now I have a hard time believing that this is even happening.

That's until angela starts to wake up.

She rubs her eyes and stretches out. I pull my arm away and give her space to do so.

"Good Morning" I say to her. She slowly turns towards me and says "Good Morning... I would totally kiss you right now but I have to brush my teeth". I laugh as she starts to get up and head to the bathroom.

I sit myself up and look around her room. In full sunlight I could see all the small details I never noticed before.

How she had what seemed like a whole library of books on the opposite side of the room.

Then I saw her record collection sitting next to her record player and got curious. I hopped out of her bed and walked over and sat next to the records.

She had artist like etta james, prince, dolly parton, and new edition.
"God you like a lot of music" I say still looking through them.

"Thanks" I hear from behind me making me jump. "Didn't mean to scare you" angela says as I get up from my spot and walk over to her. I slid my hands over her waist and say "It's ok".

Right before I could kiss her angela's mom is calling us for breakfast. She jumps out of my hands and scratches the back of her neck.

I step back giving her space and say "Let's get some breakfast, I am starving". I walk out of her room and into the living room.

"Hey robin" Jack says sitting a plate of pancakes on the dining table.
"Hey jack" I say sitting in one of the empty chairs.

"Hey robin I cooked some breakfast if your hungry" angel's mom says to me from the kitchen. "Oh thank you but I'm not hungry" I say.

Angela comes out with a plate of waffles and bacon. She sits in the seat next to jack and eats her waffles.

Angela's mom comes in with two plates and sits one in front of me along with a fork. I look to her surprised.

I look at the plate to find bacon, scrambled eggs and sausage. "I said-" I try to get out. "I know but your a guest you should eat" angela's mom says before eating her food.

I smile before digging in. I don't realize how fast i'm eating until jack says "Make sure to breath, they food isn't going anywhere". I swallow my food and laugh.

After a couple minutes I finished my food and stood up from my seat. I pick up my empty plate and fork and walk to the kitchen sink.

I wash off my dishes. "Ms.brown where should I put the dishes?" I ask. "You can just leave them in the sink" angela's mom says from the dining table.

I sit them in the sink and dry my hands off with my shirt. I walk out the kitchen and walk over to the living room.

I sit on the couch and just wait. It's like all the memories from yesterday just flash into my mind. I close my eyes and hope my face doesn't show what I'm thinking.

I hear from behind me angela's mom say "Hey angela I'm gonna go run a couple errands today, jack you're coming".

I look over to the hallway to find lila walk out and over to me. She jumps onto my lap after rubbing her head against my legs.

I look up to try and find angela. "Is she aloud on the couch?" I ask. Angela smiles at me before walking over and saying "No and she knows that".

She picks up lila and sits her on the ground. She walks over to the tv and picks up the remote.

She turns the tv on and sits on the opposite side of the couch. I try to through it out of my mind. We're around her family so it makes since but they know we're friends.

I look from her as she stares at the tv and whatevers playing and back to the tv. We sit in silence for whoever knows how long. It's tense and neither of us makes a move.

It's not to long after jack and angela's mom walk out the front door and me and angela are left in that tense silence.

"I'm gonna go use the bathroom" I say before getting up from my spot.

Angela doesn't say anything before grabbing my hand and pulling me down to kiss her.

I'm confused so I pull away slowly and walk off to the bathroom.

Angela's pov:

"Fuck" I whisper to myself when robin leaves. I'm fucking this whole thing up I can just feel it.

After a couple minutes robin comes back but doesn't sit down.

I look up to her and before I can even get a word out "Angela what's going on?" Robin ask me. "What?" I ask.

"This morning you acted like anything happened last night never did and I understand If it's because your family but even when it's just us you just shy away. If you don't want to keep this going that's ok just tell me" Robin says.

For a moment I'm shooked how could she think that. "Of course I want...It's just hard to explain robin" I say. "Come on angela" Robin says before sighing.

I get up from the couch and walk out of the living room and in to my room. Robin follows close behind me.

"I like you a lot angela but I just want to know why" Robin says to me. "Why what robin? Why what?" I don't mean to raise my voice but I do and regret sets in as I did.

"What happened? why can't you tell me" robin asks "The real reason we moved here" I say exhausted. I turn away from her and put my hands on the sides of my head.

"My dad found these playboy mags in my room one day and just everything went to shit after that. He flipped out on me and mom for defending me." I take a breath rubbing my hands over my eyes and turning back towards her.

"The thing was they weren't even mine. An old friend of mine stole them and I took them and hid them so he wouldn't get caught.... But when my dad found them there wasn't even a point to try and explain"

"There never was when it came to him.... my mom worried as always found a new job as far away from north Carolina that she could find." I take a deep breath trying not to cry.

"And even though they don't want to admit it, all of this is my fault. Jack having to leave his friends and school, mom having to leave her job, everyone I care about having to leave their life they had...I just...I just can't make another person leave because I fucked upped" I

say as tears fall down my cheek.

Robin pulls me into a hug and rubs my back. "None of that is your fault" "yes it is" I say without missing a beat.

"Believe me seeing the way i've seen this family from my point of view it's obvious it's not" She says trying to comfort me.

"Let's go sit on your bed" she whispers and we start to move towards my bed. I sit down and place my hands on my forehead.

Robin sits criss cross in front of me placing her hands on my knees.

We sit in silence until robin gets up and grabs a box from my desk. She sits back in front of me and says "Tell me about this picture".

I look up wiping away my tears and laugh seeing the picture. "That was jack's 3rd birthday party he had thrown the cake onto the ground and tried to eat it..." I say feeling better.

"How about this one?" She ask holding up another.

I smile and say "That's me when I was 4 or 5 my mom made me the dress and my dad took the photo...I loved that dress and since it took me forever to grow I got to wear it all the time".

"And this one? is it you?" Robin ask pulling out another photo. A smile settles on my face as I start to explain. "No, no it's my mom on her 19th birthday, an ex boyfriend of hers took it."

"They went to his lake house and he got her a cake and a gold necklace with her name on it... she doesn't think I know but she still keeps it in her jewelry box...I can only hope for someone to love me like that" I say.

"Like even after it's been years I still hold a place in your heart" I say.

"Believe me you already do." Robin says looking up at me as I look at the picture. I turn to her and she lifts her hand to my cheek. I smile and kiss her. As we kiss I lay the picture to my side.

She gets up from the ground and slides her hand on my back. She

pulls away and smiles.

She kisses me again and we lay on my bed. She slides her hands on my hips and rolls us around so im on top of her.

Before I could go in for another kiss I hear mom's car pull up in the driveway. I lower my head and roll off robin.

We lay side by side in the silence. She moved her hand into mine and for a moment I felt something I couldn't explain.

It's more than happiness and peace and safety. It's all that and so much more when it comes to her. It feels dumb to say or think anything I am since we've only been together for less than 24 hours.

But then again there was that day in the summer in steve's car. But did that even count.

"Hey robin" I say. "Yeah?" She ask. "I'm sorry for everything" I say getting up and walking over to my polaroid camera.

"It's ok" She says sitting up. I take a quick pic of her as she looks out the window.

The sunshine from the window made her face glow and her white shirt and messed up hair pulled it all together in a way you'd have to see to believe.

I shake the picture and wait for the full picture to form. "Hey robin I can drive you home when you're ready to go" mom says walking in to my room.

Robin looks from my mom to me and back at my mom. "Thank you ma'am I'll be ready in few" She says to mom.

Mom walks out and into her room. I look back at the picture and smile to myself. "I shouldn't have treated you the way I did, I'm sorry" I say to robin sitting the picture on my desk.

"Like I said it's ok I promise" She says getting up from my bed. She walks over to me and picks up the picture from behind me.

She doesn't say anything just smiles and sits it down before kissing me on my cheek.

I move my hand up to her cheek and kiss her. It's long and sweet. But she pulls away.

"I gotta go soon" She says holding my hands. "I know but actions speak louder than words sooo" I say before kissing her again.

She smiles into the kiss and wraps her hands around my hips. I put my arms over her shoulders and slide myself onto my desk.

She pulls away and I can still feel the heat on my lips as heat rises to my cheeks. "I'm gonna go change and put my shoes on" she says.

"Why would you change?" I ask hopping off my desk. "Well I mean i'm wearing your clothes so" She says about to take her top off.

"No it's fine keep them" I say stopping her. She smiles to me and kisses me before grabbing her shoes and putting them on.

We stand waiting for the other to do something. She comes up to me and hugs me. I close my eyes and embrace her.

"You're acting like i'm going off to war" She says before we pull away and she grabs her bag.

I laugh and follow her out of my room. "Ms.brown I'm ready" She says to my mom when we get to her room.

"Ok just let me grab my shoes and keys and I'll be ready" mom says getting up from her bed.

I move my arm over robin's shoulders as we walk into the living room.

I pull her in for one last hug as mom walks in behind us.

We part and she walks out of the front door with mom.

I walk out to the sun almost below the horizon and the sky a dark blue.

I watch as robin puts her bike in the trunk of moms car and they get in.

I wave to her and she waves back as they back out of the driveway.

I walk back inside and lock the door. "So you guys are dating now?" Jack ask from the living room.

"Yeah we are" I say before walking into my room.

I pick up the picture I took of her. It's like my whole body is filled with happiness when I see it.

It's weird to say it but god damn it felt like I found my person. It's barely been a day so it's dumb so I won't, But damn it's felt like since I met her she's been the one.

Maybe she is but It's been a day and I need to calm down.